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RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement/Election of Species mailed on November 2, 2005 in connection with the above application, Applicants hereby elect Species 13 of Fig. 18 with traverse. Applicants state that claims 1-4, 6-8 and 12-13 read on this Species 13.

Examination of the present application in view of the above election is respectfully requested.

Please charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account 50-1147.

Respectfully submitted,

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